

(c) False testimony; punishment

Persons subject to the jurisdiction of the United States, who are not members of a friendly foreign force, who shall give false testimony or shall commit any act in the presence of a service court of a friendly foreign force which, if committed before a court of the United States, would be in contempt thereof, shall upon conviction by a court of the United States be fined not more than \$2,000 or imprisoned for not more than six months, or both.

(June 30, 1944, ch. 326, § 3, 58 Stat. 644; Proc. No. 2695, July 4, 1946, 11 F.R. 7517, 60 Stat. 1352.)

CODIFICATION

In subsec. (a), reference to “or any court of first instance of the Philippine Commonwealth” omitted pursuant to Proc. No. 2695, which granted independence to the Philippines under the authority of section 1394 of this title, under which section said Proc. No. 2695 is set out as a note.

In subsec. (a), reference to “the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia” omitted because the District of Columbia constitutes a judicial district, and the District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia is included within the term “district courts of the United States” as used in such subsection. See sections 88 and 132 of Title 28, Judiciary and Judicial Procedure.

§ 704. Immunities of courts and witnesses

Members of any service court of a friendly foreign force lawfully exercising jurisdiction in the United States in relation to members of such force, and any witnesses appearing before such service court, shall enjoy the same immunities and privileges as are enjoyed by members of a court martial of the United States and by witnesses appearing before such a court martial.

(June 30, 1944, ch. 326, § 4, 58 Stat. 644.)

§ 705. Imprisonment

Persons sentenced to imprisonment by a service court of a friendly foreign force may be confined in disciplinary barracks, guardhouses, or other places of detention of the United States armed forces or in penitentiaries or other institutions employed by the United States for the detention or treatment of prisoners, at the expense of the state on whose behalf the prisoner is detained.

(June 30, 1944, ch. 326, § 5, 58 Stat. 644.)

§ 706. Operative effect dependent upon Presidential finding

This chapter shall be operative with respect to the military, naval, or air forces of any foreign state only after a finding and declaration by the President that the powers and privileges provided herein are necessary for the maintenance of discipline. The President may at any time revoke such finding and declaration.

(June 30, 1944, ch. 326, § 6, 58 Stat. 645.)

PROCLAMATION NO. 2626

Proc. No. 2626, Oct. 12, 1944, 9 F.R. 12403, respecting activation by President, was revoked by Proc. No. 3107, Aug. 9, 1955, 20 F.R. 5805.

SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in section 701 of this title.

CHAPTER 14—FOREIGN SERVICE**REPEAL OF CHAPTER**

Pub. L. 96-465, title II, § 2205, Oct. 17, 1980, 94 Stat. 2159, repealed the Foreign Service Act of 1946 and related and miscellaneous provisions classified to this chapter. Pursuant to section 2403 of Pub. L. 96-465, set out as a note under section 3901 of this title, Pub. L. 96-465 is effective, except as otherwise provided, on Feb. 15, 1981. Notwithstanding repeal, however, of the provisions of this chapter, section 4172 of this title continues in force and effect the Foreign Service Act of 1946 and any other law repealed, modified, or affected by Pub. L. 96-465 for the purposes enumerated in such section 4172.

REVISION OF LAWS

Congress by the enactment of the Foreign Service Act of 1980, Pub. L. 96-465, Oct. 17, 1980, 94 Stat. 2071, classified principally to chapter 52 (§ 3901 et seq.) of this title, consolidated and revised the laws relating to the administration, etc., of the Foreign Service.

Prior to the enactment of the Foreign Service Act of 1980, the Foreign Service Act of 1946 and related and miscellaneous provisions, which governed the Foreign Service, were classified to this chapter. Some former provisions of this chapter, prior to the enactment of the Foreign Service Act of 1946, had similar and related provisions classified to former chapter 1 of this title as follows:

<i>Former Chapter 1</i>	<i>Former Chapter 14</i>
1, 1a	801
2	801, 909
3	861-870
3a	995
4	906, 907
5	911, 912
6	906
7	993
8	Omitted
9	1036
10, 11	Omitted
12	1131
13	812
14	Omitted
15	961-963
16	963-965
17	1148
17a	1148-1150
18	Omitted
19	909
20	876
21	1061 et seq.
21a	1063
22	915
23	Omitted
23a	861, 870
23b	937
23c	1131
23d	937
23e	886
23f	826, 827
23g	821
23h	826, 827, 861 et seq.
23i	1061 et seq.
23j	882
23k	813
23l	814
24	805
31	901
32	900 et seq.
32a	866, 867
33	910
34 to 34c	901
35	936-939
36, 37	Omitted
38	805
39	803
40	802
41	901 note
51	Omitted
51a	938, 951
52	Omitted
53	1171
54	Omitted
55	908
56	936
57, 58	Omitted
71	Omitted
72 to 79	1172-1179